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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. SKGF Cover Letter;
2. Credit Card Payment Form (PTO-2038) in the amount of \$905.00 to cover: \$395.00 for RCE and \$510.00 for extension of time fee;
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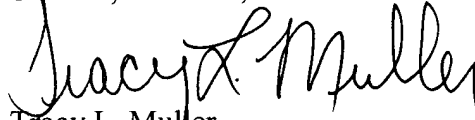
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